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Soldiers Depart Saturday

In Fine Spirits; Loyal Scene

Raymond's recruits for the 13th Mounted Rifles now in training at Cardston, were given a most loyal and enthusiastic farewell last Monday, when they boarded the west-bound train for the training camp.

A procession, carrying banners and blowing bugles, marched down Broadway to the depot where two hundred people assembled to see the brave boys depart. "Tipperary," and other patriotic airs were heartily sung, and cheers were given for each of the local "Tommys." The lads kept up a brave front, and boarded the train with a smile. Somebody yelled:

"Are we down-hearted?" And as the train "putter" out, a tremendous "No!" swept over the broad prairie, across the Atlantic, and on to Berlin, where Kaiser Bill sat trembling in his palace. On Thursday evening the boys were the guests of the Raymond I.O.O.F. at a dance in the Odd fellows' Hall. A most enjoyable time was had, but the attendance was not as large as it ought to have been. Rev. Mr. Simpson gave a short but eloquent farewell address.

Monday evening two more gallant English boys left for Cardston to join the squadron Bob Baker and Will Gilbert. This makes four boys in the ranks from the Baker family and two out of the Gilbert family. That is an example of true patriotism. The parents of these boys are to be highly commended and the

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Tribute To Bp. Anderson

Given Farewell Party

Last night at the first ward chapel, the people of the two local wards assembled to do honor to retiring bishop J. E. Anderson. The vast concourse of people in attendance was a wonderful testimonial to the high esteem with which he is held in the community. A short program was rendered, consisting of a double ladies quartet from the second ward, a toast from Bishop Evans and a short address by Acting Bishop Alfred. After these numbers Mayor O'Brien, in a few well-chosen words, presented Bishop Anderson with a gold watch and chain from the people of Raymond. The bishop, who was visibly affected, made a suitable reply.

After the program were indulged in until 11 p. m.

Next Sunday a new bishop will be chosen for the first ward. Several names are mentioned for the office, but it now seems likely that the honor will fall on James E. Ellison.

boys are showing that they are made of the right kind of stuff. The stuff heroes are made of. Success to all our boys. May they return in safety and in glory.

Mark V. Crossall left yesterday for the coast, where he will spend the next two weeks holidaying in the gay cities of the Pacific sea-board.

A private dance was given in the Oddfellows' Hall Friday night by a party of Raymond's younger set. After the dance, the dancers enjoyed a sumptuous supper at Harry's. Everything was par excellence.

The athletic club is now running smoothly. A constitution has been adopted, and a full organization effected. Three meetings are held in the K. A. gym weekly, Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday nights. Fifty cents has been fixed as the membership fee. This is a very nominal figure when the vast good to be derived from affiliation with such a valuable organization is considered. Join the club today. You will never regret it.

Public Notice

TAKE NOTICE that the TAX ENFORCEMENT RETURN of the Town of Raymond was confirmed in respect of the herein described lands at the Court of Confirmation held at Raymond on the 7th day of April, 1914, and unless such lands are redeemed on or before the 7th day of April, 1915, the same will be ABSOLUTELY FORFEITED to the town for non payment of Taxes.

Dated this 31st day of February, 1915.

S. Farnham Kimball,
Sec'y-Treas. Town of Raymond
LOTS one and two (1 and 2)
Block seventeen (17) Plan 2039-1
LOT three (3) Block fifteen (15), Plan 2039-4.

Newsy Items of Local and General Interest

Leif Ericson, who is studying violin in Salt Lake City, is making fine progress in his work, and his teacher, Prof. Skelton is loud in praise of his talent. He will likely remain in the south until June.

The famous Belgian War Pictures are on their way to the Rex Watch for the date.

"Shorty" Campbell appeared at the Rex Monday night in a fancy roping act. It was fair.

Mrs. J. E. Ellison spent Monday and Tuesday in Lethbridge.

Grant Card spent week end in Cardston.

We are pleased to report that Leah McCarty is well on the road to recovery, although her improvement is slow.

Apple Brothers shipped a load of cattle to Calgary last week.

A successful farmers institute was held in the first ward chapel Tuesday evening under the auspices of the agricultural society. The meeting was well attended and some excellent advice was given by the speakers. W. W. Harris gave an illuminating lecture and demonstration on "Butter Making," and James Meldrum spoke on "Home Gardening." Mrs. H. S. Allen occupied the chair.

The chief item of business at the city council meeting last week was the matter of the early closing of cafes. Ten o'clock was fixed as the hour of closing and the marshal was instructed to see that this was executed. Solicitor Ostlund was in attendance from Lethbridge.

The Hub company, Limited, held its annual ratepayers' meeting in the store last Monday afternoon. The reports submitted showed the company to be in a flourishing condition, and a substantial dividend was declared.

James E. Ellison and L. D. King attended a directors' meeting of the Ellison Milling company at Lethbridge last Monday.

A. Cazier, father of Misses May and Lila Cazier, was a visitor in the city last week.

W. W. Berryessa, who is an expert cornetist, has joined the regimental band of the 13th C. M. R.

Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Card leave Monday morning for Edmonton, where Mr. Card will represent the local lodge at the I.O.O.F. convention. While in the capital they will be the guests of Dr. and Mrs. Keillor.

Thos. Gould Joins Colors

Boer War Veteran

Thomas Gould, veteran of the South African war, and a highly respected citizen of this city for the past eight years, has joined the colors to again do all in his power for his King and Country in this hour of need. Unexpectedly he applied at the recruiting office was examined by Dr. Beman, and notwithstanding the old wounds received in Africa, he was passed, and left with the other volunteers last Saturday evening.

Private Gould was formerly with the 17th Lancers, a regiment that did splendid service in the Boer War. He has a medal with four bars, representing his participation in four engagements, one being at the memorable Battle of Paardeburg. It was at one of these engagements he got wounded three times in the hip and thigh, and for two days lay out on the veldt before he was picked up and carried to the hospital. He quenched his burning throat with rain, which he caught in his hand, and when found was in a most deplorable condition, consisting of lacerations and literary wounds. After the program a sumptuous banquet was rendered the guests. The menu was elaborate and all enjoyed the delicious viands prepared by the capable committee.

Mr. Libbert was the oldest person present. He is now 76 years of age. He was followed by Mr. Melville, of Welling, and Mr. Selman, of this city. The afternoon program and dinner were given in the school hall.

After dinner the guests repaired to the Rex theatre where they witnessed a good picture show in this popular house.

In the evening all married people were invited, and the opera house was the scene of a delightful dance. The stately dances of long ago, trend to measures heard in the days of father and grandfather, formed a marked contrast between the modern steps, which we caper to the strains of "Too Much Mustard."

J. W. Judd has been appointed local agent for the Robin Hood products, flour, rolled oats, etc.

It's at the Opera House next Thursday. What? Why "Mutt and Jeff in Mexico," the great musical comedy success of fun with a shipload of pretty girls. Raymond is the only point outside of the large cities where this big attraction appears. Advance sale begins Monday at Blair's Drug Store. Doors open at 7.30. Curtain at 8.30 sharp.

In a letter to the editor Grant Young states that they are doing nicely in Salt Lake. His father is with the Beneficial Life Insurance company. Dorothy is at Provo attending the university. Ethelyn is at the L. D. S. U. Gordon is an apprentice with the Desert News, and Grant is working at the Weather Bureau.

A grand ball will be given in the Opera House Saturday evening, St. Valentine's Night, under the auspices of the First Ward Parents' Class. Light refreshments will be served, and a real jolly time is assured. A prize wait and two step will be some of the features.

Next Saturday the Womens Institute will hold its regular meeting at the home of Mrs. Rouse. The institute gave \$22.00 to the Ambulance Fund. Congratulations ladies.

Honored In There Old Age

Fine Banquet: Ball at Night

The old folks of the Raymond district, together with widows, widowers, missionaries wives and soldiers wives, were the honored guests at a party last Wednesday which was unquestionably one of the most pleasing and successful ever held in the city. The social was held under the auspices of the Old Folks' committee. Arthur Dahl chairman, and they are to be highly commended on the splendid occasion attending the honored old folks of the community.

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Editorial Notes

On account of the depressed condition of business caused by the war and other economic factors, for the next month or six weeks the Leader will appear in its present form. Advertising has fallen off to such a degree that it does not warrant the issuing of a larger paper. Newspapers cannot be run on fresh air and prospects. It takes money. We wish to thank the business men for their loyal support in the past. They have done well under prevailing conditions. We are all bit hard, and it must be a mutual consolation. We look for business to brighten up in the spring. Prospects are excellent for a good year for the farmer. And if the farmer succeeds we all succeed. He is the basis of our industrial prosperity. Just as soon as conditions warrant it the Leader will not only return to its original size, but it will enlarge its edition. We aim to make the Leader the liveliest weekly in the south, and with the return of prosperity such will be the case. But we think our readers and patrons will comprehend our position fully, and cooperate with us in tiding the paper over these perilous times.

If the Deseret News, Utah's grand old newspaper, comes out with many issues like that of the 4th inst., its Canadian readers will be forced to conclude that it is pro-Chinese. Please don't! It would spoil all our business records.

The Lethbridge Board of Trade did well in re-electing Mr. March as president of the organization. He is one of the best friends the farmers have in the south.

The Magrath Creamery is going to make good. We are pleased to note this fact. The farmers say the semi-monthly cheques come in very handy, and that they have no desire to return to the old way.

Magrath Boys Given Farewell

Thursday evening last at Magrath easily four hundred people thronged to the Assembly Hall to do honor to the boys from the Garden City, who had enlisted for service. Ald. Fred W. Karen occupied the chair, and on the stand sat the members of the city council, under whose auspices the function was given.

Wm. Vaughn, the popular baritone, rendered with fine effect that stirring patriotic solo, "The Death of Nelson," F. C. Steele following in a patriotic address, drawing his inspiration from the lofty sentiments of the song. Ald. Hindley, in the absence of Mayor Ririe, and amidst a thunder of applause, presented each of the boys with an elegant medal from the municipality. At the conclusion of the program dancing and light refreshments were enjoyed. The names of the Magrath volunteers are: Lieut. Taylor, Lieu. Page, and Privates Passy, Fowler, Head, Boyd, Robertson, Frayne and Hart.

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